



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 03745.0009-00

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Hong GUO et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2195  
Application No.: 10/053,740 ) Examiner: Vo, Lilian  
Filed: January 24, 2002 ) Confirmation No.: 4249  
For: TOPOLOGY AWARE )  
SCHEDULING FOR A )  
MULTIPROCESSOR SYSTEM )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION**

In reply to the Office Action mailed February 10, 2006, the period for response having been extended to June 12, 2006 (June 10, 2006, being a Sunday), by a request for one month extension and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** follow the amendment section of this paper.